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SUBJECT: REPORTED SHOOTING OF NEWSMEN

1. PAO HAS BEEN TOLD BY REUTERS CORRESPONDENT HELLIER THAT THREE NEWSPAPERMEN WERE SHOT BY TURKS IN LAPITHOS AT 0830 THIS MORNING. ACCORDING TO THIS REPORT AP CORRESPONDENT (FNU) RUQUE (HOLDER OF BRITISH PASSPORT), BBC CORRESPONDENT CHRIS MORRIS, AND NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT LEFKOS CHRISTODOULIDES, U.S. CITIZEN, WERE THE VICTIMS.

2. ACCORDING TO REPORT, GROUP ENTERED KAPITHOS UNDER UK FLAG AND WHITE FLAG AND WERE FIRED ON BY TURKISH TROOPS.

3. EMBOFF IS EN ROUTE HOSPITAL NOW TO CHECK REPORT.

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